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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:
FUNG, Michael, et al.

Serial No.: 09/821,255

Filed: March 29, 2001

For: INHIBITORS OF COMPLEMENT
ACTIVATION

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

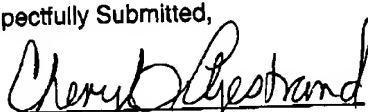
In response to the Restriction Requirement imposed under 37 C.F.R. §121 dated July 1, 2002, Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-19, drawn to an inhibitor of complement activation. Applicants reserve the right to rejoin the method of treatment claims (20-21) under the Rejoinder rule (See MPEP § 821.04).

The period for response in the application has been extended to September 1, 2002, by a request for a One-Month Extension of Time. Please charge our deposit account #20-0087 for any additional fees necessary to enter this response.

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